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30 November 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Contracting Team, Development
Engineering Group, OD&E

FROM : [REDACTED]
Office of General Counsel

SUBJECT : Agreement with [REDACTED]

1. This is to confirm the information concerning the Agency's contract with referent [REDACTED] which was discussed earlier (26 November 1976). The undersigned, subsequent to our talks, reviewed the appropriate CRS file and interviewed [REDACTED] CRS. According to an internal memorandum, the Agreement was signed by [REDACTED]. The purchase was then reviewed by PD/OL in accordance with the practice attendant to such small volume CRS procurements. It is the opinion of the undersigned that paragraph 5 is binding upon the Agency. To this end, written permission of [REDACTED] would be required before the set of [REDACTED] could be provided to an outside contractor. This information has been orally conveyed to [REDACTED], OD&E.

2. Although it is believed to be only remotely probable, if written permission is obtained by the Agency to provide the [REDACTED] to a contractor, it would be possible for the Agency, through CRS, to obtain the books in accordance with paragraph 5 of this Agreement, i.e., \$200 per set vice \$7,000 for an initial purchase.

cc: [REDACTED], C/MS/ORD

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